Testimony for SB 46

Lawn pesticides, as well as the unknown synergistic effects of combinations of lawn chemicals, can pose heartbreaking long term health impacts on kids, adults, and animals unaware of their exposure.

Please support SB-46 to ban lawn pesticides on high school grounds. I am very concerned about Connecticut's children being exposed to toxic lawn pesticides and am very pleased that Connecticut now has a law prohibiting the use of toxic lawn pesticides at day care centers and school grounds with children through grade 8. But why are our young people not protected in other places like high schools, parks, playgrounds, municipal sports fields and town greens where they are involuntarily exposed to toxic chemicals that cause harm? Please support legislation to protect Connecticut's children wherever they may be exposed to toxic lawn pesticides

Thank you, Leila Baroody 70 Race Track Rd. Lakeville, CT 06039

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